

REFERENCE TITLE: dispersing unlawful assembly; peace officers

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SB 1015

Introduced by
Senator Gray L

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 13-3804, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE
PREVENTION OF OFFENSES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 13-3804, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 13-3804. Duty of officers to disperse unlawful assembly

5 A. Where any number of persons, whether armed or not, are unlawfully
6 or riotously assembled, the sheriff and his deputies, officials governing the
7 city or town, PEACE OFFICERS or ~~justice~~ JUSTICES of the peace and constables,
8 or any of them, shall go among the persons assembled, or as near to them as
9 possible, and command them, in the name of the state, immediately to
10 disperse.

11 B. If the people assembled do not immediately disperse, the magistrate
12 and officers shall arrest them, and for that purpose may command the aid of
13 all persons present or within the county.